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TOPIC _____ 1. Wiener Neustadt Airfield and Military Post

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2. Bad Fischau Military Post

EVALUATION _____ 25X1 PLACE OBTAINED _____ 25X1

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REMARKS _____

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1. Between 9 a.m. and 2 p.m. on 17 February 1954, the following aircraft were observed at Wiener Neustadt (O 48/X 34) airfield:
 48 MiG-15s including 11 in the depression near the pyrotechnics plant, 2 in aircraft revetments near the depression, 8 near Badener Strasse, and 27 near the flight control station; 3 Yak-11s, including 2 near Badener Strasse and 1 near the flight control station, and 2 biplanes near the flight control station. There was a 5/10 overcast at an altitude of about 1,500 meters, northeasterly wind at 8 km/h, and visibility of about 35 km. The following take-offs and landings were observed:

Take-OffLandingAircraft

9:40 a.m.	10:30 a.m.	4 MiG-15s in elements of two
9:42 a.m.	10:16 a.m.	2 MiG-15s
9:50 a.m.	10:23 a.m.	2 MiG-15s
9:51 a.m.	10:26 a.m.	1 MiG-15s
10:10 a.m.	10:30 a.m.	1 Yak-11

The aircraft took off and landed from north to south and, after landing, taxied to their dispersal areas near Badener Strasse. During the reported period the noise of aircraft taking off and landing was also heard from Bad Fischau. Trucks _____ sedans _____

_____ and van-like truck _____ of them with drivers wearing black-bordered blue epaulets were observed at the western flight control station. Eight shrapnel-proof aircraft revetments were observed in the area of the depression near the pyrotechnics plant. Two of the revetments were occupied by one MiG-15 each the tail units of which had been disassembled. The tail units lay near-by. Work was being done on both aircraft. There was no change in the status of the northern row of searchlights. Nine trucks and 2 signal trucks with rod antennas were seen on the parking lot near Badener Strasse. The eastern AA gun emplacement was unoccupied. Two trucks and 4 Stalin-type tractors were parked in the sheds of the eastern garage installation. There was no change in the status of the small cone-shaped antenna fitted with a disc on top. The van-like truck was still seen close to the antenna mast. Van-like trucks _____ with drivers wearing black-bordered blue epaulets and truck _____ were identified. The flight control

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- 25X1 station was guarded by a sentry wearing black-bordered blue epaulets. Sedan
 25X1 truck [] and jeep [] all of them with
 25X1 drivers wearing black-bordered blue epaulets, were also observed there.
 There was no change in the status of the ground radio installations near the
 flight control station, north of the northern row of searchlights and north-
 west of Theresienfeld.
2. The gates of the hangar at Theresienfeld airfield were closed. Fifteen
 gray crates were observed in front of the hangar. Four van-like trucks were
 parked at the parking lot north of the hangar.
3. The Artillerie Kaserne in Wiener Neustadt was guarded by sentries wearing
 25X1 black-bordered blue epaulets. Three trucks, 1 van-like truck and 2 sedans
 were parked in the yard of the installation, while sedan [] with
 driver wearing black-bordered blue epaulets left it. There was no change in
 the status of the small cone-shaped antenna with disc on top and the van-like
 truck with rod antennas and long-wire antenna in the yard of the barracks
 installation.
4. Eighteen trucks, 3 tank trucks and 2 weapon-carriers were parked in the yard
 of the former officers' candidates school in Bad Fischau. Driving school
 25X1 trucks [] the three former
 25X1 with drivers wearing black-bordered blue epaulets and truck []
 25X1 entered the installation. 2
1. [] Comment. Two Soviet fighter regiments and the superior division
 25X1 headquarters are believed to be stationed at Wiener Neustadt airfield.
2. [] Comment. Apparently ground unit [] with attached driving school
 25X1 is stationed in the former officers' candidates school at Bad Fischau. It is
 believed that in addition a signal unit [], probably a company,
 is stationed at Bad Fischau. It is not known, however, where this unit is
 quartered.

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